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Sir:

A four (4) month extension of time, to and including May 12, 2004, is requested for filing of the accompanying Request for Continued Examination for the above-referenced application.

The extension fee as set forth in 37 C.F.R. §1.17(a) is enclosed herewith. Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiencies or overpayments to Deposit Account 50/2762 (Ref. G2000-7000) of the undersigned attorneys. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

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